COUNTY OF YORK MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 14, 2001 (BOS Mtg. 6/5/01)

TO: York County Board of Supervisors

FROM: James O. McReynolds, County Administrator

SUBJECT: Expenditure for the Primary Election

The Commonwealth of Virginia State Board of Elections has notified the County Electoral Board of the need to hold a primary election for the purpose of nominating candidates of the Democratic Party for Lieutenant Governor and Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Virginia. Pursuant to Section 24.2-517 of the *Code of Virginia*, a primary election will be held in the County on Tuesday, June 12, 2001.

For FY2001, the Electoral Board's budget had adequate funding for the two elections previously held: the General Election on November 7, 2000 and the special election for the 96th House of Delegates on December 19, 2000. With the requirement of the third election, funding is needed to cover the costs of the payments for the officers of election, programming of the voting machines, printing of ballots, and other miscellaneous election costs. The Electoral Board is requesting \$11,000 for the cost of this third election.

I recommend that the Board approve the expenditure of \$11,000 requested by the Electoral Board for the primary election from the Contingency Reserve. Resolution R01-95 has been prepared for the Board's consideration. If adopted, this resolution will authorize the expenditure of \$11,000 from the Contingency Reserve to cover the cost of the primary election for the purpose of nominating candidates of the Democratic Party for Lieutenant Governor and Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

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Attachments

- Contingency Reserve Summary
- Proposed Resolution No. R01-95